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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I'm already paying these fee (taxes) on my hard line phone. How many time will be enough?

I live in a rural area and have been able to finance the phone cost before the USF. You are already collecting Federal Excise Tax, State Tax, County Tax, Local Tax, 911 Tax, Service Provider Number Portability Fee, PIC Fee, and a number of others which I cannot think of at the moment. Yes, I know the phone companies have a choice to pass them on to the consumer. And they do.

So please no more phone fees or taxes.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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